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BEEP BEEP BEEP
6:32
BEEP BEEP BEEP
NOK NOK
RISE AND SHINE, SLEEPYHEAD! I SAID-
snnrg...
RISE !
SHINE !
FWOOMP!
SO HOW'D YOU LIKE YOUR NEW PERCH? WAS IT STURDY ENOUGH? DID YOU SLEEP WELL?
grrrnnnn.

Hmmmmmmmm
Hmmmmmmmmm!
Hmmmmmmmmm
MR.HELL, YOU ARE NOT DOING THAT RIGHT....
Hhhhhhhhhhh!!
WELL, GEEZ, DON'T GET ALL CRABBY...I JUST DON'T WANT YOU TO GET CAVITIES.
HERE, LIKE THIS... BACK...
AND FORTH.
BACK...
AND FORTH.
hmmm...smmmrzz

FWOOMP!
MR HELL-BILL! YOU HAVE TO WAKE UP! I KNOW YOU'RE NORMALLY NOCTURNAL AND ALL...
BUT WE HAVE TO PRACTICE TOGETHER EVERY MORNING SO WE CAN BE A LEAN MEAN CRIME FIGHTING...
EXERCISE MOPE
DU-OOOOOH!
WE HAVE TO MAKE SACRIFICES IF WE'RE GONNA BE, LIKE, THE BEST.
I GAVE UP MY BEN AND JERRY'S BREAKFAST TO KEEP MY TUMMY TRIM. YOU CAN GIVE UP SOME SLEEP....
HMMM...MAYBE WE CAN MAKE IT EASIER ON YOU.

Hmmmmmmmm
HERE, TRY THIS.. IT'S CALLED COFFEE.
Slrrrp.
Bleeeagh!
Slrrrp.
Hmmmmmmmm
HRRRK!
BLBBBBBBBBBB!!
UH OH.

RRREEEEEEEEE!
BING
EEEEEEEEEEEEEE
BRRD!
SCHLOMP!
I GOT THIS VIDEO OFF E-BAY AND...
SCLOP SCLOP SCLOP SCLOP
SIGH.
OKAY, LIKE MAYBE CAFFEINE WASN'T SUCH A GOOD IDEA. JUST CALM DOWN.
LET'S TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ALL THIS ENERGY...

OKAY, THIS MIGHT BE A LIL' DATED, BUT IT WAS THE ONLY INSTRUCTIONAL FILM FOR SUPERDUOS I COULD FIND...
SO, UM, LIKE, LET'S ROLL THE TAPE.

HELLO, AND WELCOME TO MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR SUPERDUO! IT'S 1954, AND A WHOLE NEW AGE OF SUPERHEROICS IS UPON US. JOIN US AND FOLLOW WORLD FAMOUS DUO, CAPTAIN CAUCASIAN, AND BLACKY THE WONDER NEGRO...
MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR SUPERHERO DUO

AS THEY DEMONSTRATE THE BEST WAYS...

TO MAKE THE MOST...

OF YOUR SUPERDUO.

THIS IS HORRIBLE...
FIRST, LET'S LOOK AT A MOVE PIONEERED BY THIS DUO CALLED 'PUSHING YOUR SIDEKICK INTO THE LINE OF FIRE.'
NO, MR. HELL, WAIT...
GHYAAAAH!
Hmmmmmmmmm
THIS MOVE CAN BE CUSTOMIZED FOR ANY DUO. IN THIS DUO, FOR INSTANCE, IT'S KNOWN AS THE COLORED SHIELD...
hrrrrgggggh
OH THIS ISN'T GOING TO WORK...
SHHHHHK.
FWOOMP!

MASTER THIS MOVE...
Hmmmmmmzzzzzzz
AND YOU AND YOUR PARTNER...
WILL BE WELL ON YOUR WAY...
TO RISING TO THE TOP IN THE FUN AND EXCITING WORLD OF SUPERDUOS...
ICE
Snnnnnnnk
THE END:MORNING

IT SURE IS A NICE DAY, ISN'T IT MR. HELL?
CHEEZ
PERFECT FOR CHECKING OUT THIS NEW SECRET HIDE OUT.
HRRRRRRNNN.
SORRY MR. HELL...

I KEEP FORGETTING HOW MUCH THE SUN BOTHERS YOU.
rroorrrrrrrar!
IT'LL BE ALRIGHT...
...MAYBE WE SHOULD GET YOU SOMETHING OTHER THAN A HOT BLACK CLOAK.
LOOK, JUST SIT TIGHT. WE'RE ONLY A FEW MILES AWAY NOW.
THE BUNNYMOBILE WILL GET US THERE IN A SPLIT SECOND.
CLANK.
CLANK.
CLANK CLANK CLANK CLANK CLANK
BULLSEYE
UM... OR NOT.
HRRRNN.

LATER
D'OH! STUPID CARS!
OKAY, CALIBER JACK TAUGHT ME ALL THIS CAR STUFF... BUT, IT'S BEEN AWHILE.
I THINK IT MIGHT BE THE... CARBINATOR.
OR MAYBE THE CATATONIC CONVERTOR...
OH, I HOPE IT'S NOT THE SUBMISSION.
hrrrmm.
WELL, DAMMIT, I GIVE UP.
LET'S PUT THESE PARTS BACK AND HEAD FOR HELP.
UHM, MR.HELL... WHERE ARE THE PARTS?
OH NO YOU DIDN'T...
rrr?
URRP.
hrrm.

I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU!
YOU KNOW, I WAS GONNA TAKE YOU TO MCDONALD'S FOR 39¢ HAMBURGER DAY, BUT YOU'LL JUST HAVE TO SETTLE FOR FAN BELTS AND SPORKPLUGS NOW.
RRRR!!
NOPE, YOU HEARD ME.
JESUS? DIDJA SEE THAT?!
WHY WON'T ANYONE STOP?
WHERE ARE ALL THE GOOD SAMARITANS!!
grrm?
WE MAY BE IN LUCK.
UHM, SIR? CAN YOU PLEASE HELP MY FRIEND AND ME? WE'RE SUPERHEROES AND OUR SUPERY-DUPER CAR BROKE DOWN.
hrrrr.
OH DEAR, NO. THE MISSUS WOULD BE IN A TIZZY IF SHE SAW ME CONSORTIN' WITH THE DEVIL'S CREATURE AND HIS SCANTILY CLAD MISTRESS. AND THOSE SINFUL BRIGHT GARMENTS!!
BUT...BUT...
WE'RE STRANDED. HELPING US IS THE RIGHT THING TO DO.
SIGH.
YOU'RE RIGHT. GET IN.
THE LORD DOESN'T LOVE A DISCRIMINATOR.
BUT THE BIG FELLOW HAS TO CLIMB IN BACK WITH THE CHICKENS.

WHERE YOU HEADED LASS?
FOUR EXITS UP. A FRIEND OF MINE SAYS THERE'S AN OLD CLUB HE USED TO HAUNT THAT'S UP FOR SALE... CHEAP!
HE THINKS IT'D MAKE A SUPER KEY-UTE BUNNY-BASE.
RRRMMM.
WHY, THAT'S THE EXIT I NEED TOO.
WE'LL HAVE TO SWING BY M'FARM, AND DROP OFF THE CHICKENS, BUT WE'LL GET YA THERE IN A JIFFY.
YOU ARE SOO GREAT. LEMME CALL MY FRIEND FOR EXACT DIRECTIONS...
HELLOOO, DWAYNE GUSMAN, MASTER OF THE QUEER!
DWAYNEY!
MISS BUNNY!
MY CAR JUST BROKE DOWN AND...
OH SWEETIE, THAT'S JUST HORRIBLE!
IT'S OKAY, I GOT A RIDE.
FUNNY, I JUST GOT ONE, TOO, RIGHT DONG?
HMMM.
WHAT?
NOTHIN' HUN. GO ON.
SO, YEAH, I JUST NEED DIRECTIONS FROM EXIT 17.
UH HUH.
YEAH.
GREAT.
THANKS DWAYNE.
YOU'RE THE BEST.
HUH? YES, IT'S BACK IN MY CAR.
YUP. UH HUM. NO!

OH. REALLY.
NO WAY. ELECTRIC BILL AND HEARTBURN?
UGH! THAT LIL' TRAMP.
I KNOW SHE'S NOT. I WAS TALKING ABOUT ELECTRIC BILL.
WELL, I AM SOO OVER HIM. IT DOESN'T MATTER.
hrrrmmm.
OKAY, THANKS FOR THE DIRECTIONS. I GOTTA GET GOING. YEAH.
YEP, IT'S IN THE CAR, I PROMISE.
OKAY, BUH-BYE DWAYNE.

SORRY, HE WANTED TO KNOW WHEN I WAS GIVING HIS MOULIN ROUGE DVD BACK.
SO, WE HAVE DIRECTIONS. YAAAY!
UHH..
ENH, IT'S OKAY. IF A CREATURE OF THE LORD NEEDS SHADE, I'M HAPPY TO OFFER IT...
...EVEN FOR THE ODD ONES.
WOW, MR. AMISH MAN, YOU ROCK. THANKS SO MUCH FOR THE HELP.
1/2 HOUR LATER.
WE'RE ALMOST THERE NOW. HOPE THOSE CHICKENS AREN'T GIVIN' YOU TOO MUCH TROUBLE BACK THERE.
EXIT
hrrmmm.
HMMM...THIS IS AN AWFUL LOT LIKE DWAYNE'S DIRECTIONS.
GREAT, WE'LL BE CLOSE!
Y'KNOW, WE JUST CAME UPON THIS FARM A FEW MONTHS AGO...
THE OL' PLACE WAS JUST ABANDONED... LIKE MAYBE GOD HAD LEFT IT FOR US.
THERE WAS EVEN ALL SORTS OF LEATHER, ROPES AND FARMIN' SUPPLIES INSIDE.
OH BOY.

COUNTRY CRACK
DANCE CLUB
EZEKIEL! LOOK AT THIS NEAT COLLAR I FOUND FOR WIGGY!
WELL, THERE GOES THAT IDEA.
JUST LEMME UNLOAD THE CHICKENS AND WE'LL BE OFF.
NO... UHM, HURRY.
WHERE'S... WHERE'S THE CHICKENS?!
HE...HE ATE MY CHICKENS!
WHY YOU DIRTY, EVIL CHICKEN'-EATIN'!..
RUN!
NO, EZEKIEL! DON'T USE VIOLENCE!
EEEE!
THE END: DAY

PUH-LEAZE, JUST TAKE THE SHOT ALREADY, 'K?
YOU KNOW, YOU WERE TOTALLY TESTING SOME KIND OF TIME LIMIT THERE.
IT'S OK KIDS, IT'S JUST A...A...UH...
WORD
PLEASE BALL, PLEASE BALL...DARN BALL.
rrraaagh!
LAUGH IT UP, BUT NEXT TIME, WHEN MY 'A' GAME ISN'T DISTRACTED BY YOUR NEW HAT, WE'LL SEE WHO WINS BY ONE STROKE.
WORD UP
LADY, MINI-GOLF IS FOR FAMILIES, NOT FREAKS!

'SCUSE ME? YOU BETTER APOLOGIZE...
BEFORE I ASK YOU TO REPEAT THAT INTO MY GOOD FIST.
20 HEATED MINUTES WITH MANAGEMENT LATER
MONKEY GOLF!
WORD UP
WE ARE HEROES, YOU DO NOT ASK HEROES TO LEAVE THE PREMISES...
ANYWAY, KIDS, LIKE, NEED TO LEARN THAT ALL DEMONS AREN'T BAD!
BONK!
WORD.
I'M SORRY YOU SAW THAT. MINI-GOLF JUST BRINGS OUT MY INNER-OVERACHIEVER, AND THAT MAN GOT ME A LITTLE CHAFED...BUT I'M TAKING MY CHILL PILL RIGHT NOW.
HEY, WHAT SAY WE HOP OVER TO THE ALL-NIGHT PET STORE AND...
IS THAT...IT IS, IT'S MY ELECTRIC BILL.
WELL, HE USED TO BE MY ELECTRIC BILL, BACK BEFORE HE DUMPED ME TO DATE AND WORK WITH OTHER SUPERHEROINES...
HEY! OH, HE DID NOT BRING HER TO OUR GOLF COURSE!
GO APE
SNOW BREAST IS THE WORLD'S MOST FOOD SAFE SNOW BALL!

THAT WAS THE HOLE WHERE HE 'ADJUSTED' MY 'SWING.'
FROOSH!
FZrrrP!
AND, LIKE, I KNOW HEARTBURN'S A FELLOW SUPER-SISTER, BUT REALLY...
...THAT 'JENNY FROM THE BLOCK' WANNABE IS ONLY WEARING ABOUT 3 THREADS.
I AM SO NOT TAKING MY CHILL PILL TONIGHT.

SIR LINKS-A-LOT
GIANT MONKEY GOLF!
MR. HELL I NEED A GOLF BALL.
Hrrrrmm?
CAUSE IT'LL MAKE ME FEEL BETTER.
TO ELLIOT, YOU ARE ONE SHOCKING FAN...
!
WHO'S CALLING DOWN THE THUNDER?!
IT'S ALL GOOD BILLY, DON'T MARINATE ON IT.
KRAKOOM!
YOU'RE RIGHT. JEALOUS ONES ENVY. WE CAN'T HELP THAT. LET'S BOUNCE BABE.
HEY BABE... LET'S JUST RUN BACK TO MY PLACE FOR SOME COFFEE.
hrrrmmgh?
OF COURSE WE'RE GONNA FOLLOW, DUH.

EEEEEEEEEE!
OOH, FIREWORKS, WHATEV. AND, BY THE WAY, WHEN IT'S ABOUT AN EX-BOYFRIEND WHO YOU WORKED WITH AND LIVED WITH FOR MORE THAN A YEAR, IT'S NOT STALKING, OK?

OK, FORGET SUPERHERO SOLIDARITY, IT'S OFFICIAL NOW, SHE'S A HUSSY. SHE'S GOING BACK TO HIS PLACE, AND IT'S ONLY 9:30.
I BET THIS IS EVEN JUST THEIR FIRST DATE
TYPICAL BILL. HE MOVED IN LIKE HOW LONG AGO AND STILL HASN'T UNPACKED.
I THINK I'M READY FOR SOMETHING HOTTER THAN COFFEE.
OH YEAH? LET ME GO TURN OFF THE POT.
HMMMMM
SNIFF! SNIFF!
AAAA

hrrrmmm.
HEY! UNHAND...UH, UN-MOUTH MY COFFEEPOT YOU...THING!
SENSOR COFFEE
MR. HELL, DROP THE COFFEE! PRETTY PLEASE?
LOVEBUNNY? BETH, THAT YOU?
Hrrraa!
SPTOO!
KLAXK!
OH BABY, YOU OK? WHAT HAPPENED?
BUNNY.
YOU WERE ATTACKED BY A RABBIT?

LOVEBUNNY!!!
MISTER, YOU ARE ENTERING BUNNY'S CAFFEINE REHAB PROGRAM FIRST THING TOMORROW.
OH GOSH, YOU KNOCKED OUT BILL.
THANKS, BUT, OH MY GOSH, BILL SO CAUGHT ME.
SIGH
I JUST WENT FROM BEING THE HOT BABE TO THE PSYCHO-EX...
ONLY INSTEAD OF OWNING TOO MANY CATS, I HAVE YOU.
hrrrm.
A FLOWER? WHEN DID YOU EAT...
OH, FOR ME? AWW, THANKS.
huh?
I'M SORRY. I CAN BE SUCH A DUMB BLONDE. I DON'T NEED CATS...OR BILL, I GUESS.
I HAVE YOU, AND AT THE END OF THE DAY, MAYBE THAT'S ENOUGH.
AND HEY, I THINK I GOT A CARTON OF BEN & JERRY'S STASHED AT HOME...
...WITH OUR NAMES ON IT.
THE END: NIGHT

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LOVE LETTERS

Hi. I am ashamed to admit that your book has been on the shelf at the store I own for some time now and I've only just got around to reading it. I want more. Now.
Many many thanks for a really enjoyable comic.
I look forward to the next one.
tom miller
owner/operator
The Magic Mirror
Well, we'll consider the fact that it took a year for me get another issue out revenge for not picking up the book right away. Thanks Tom!

Really, the main reason I bought this book was the hat. I'm looking at the cover and here is this babe standing next to this demon thing wearing a parsons hat. It's a little known fact that I'm required to buy anything wearing a parsons hat.
The Undertaker figure, the Joker figure, now Lovebunny.
So, I got it home, read the thing, and about died laughing. This was beyond good. This was great. It ranks right up there with Electric Girl as one of the best new books I've read in a long time. The art is terrific, the characters are fun, it actually gave us back story, heck it's main character is almost a furry! What more could you ask for in a book? Please, keep up the great work, and I'll keep buying the book. Promise!
Jason Dentino
The Parson's Hat Marketing Trick works every time.

I just finished reading Lovebunny and Mr. Hell yesterday. May I say that this was one of the best original comics I have read in a while. The humor enclosed in these few pages of greatness brought back fond memories of the original Tick series. The black and white style is perfect for this comic. I think that it would be great as a continuing series. Thank you for the opportunity to read a wonderful comic such as this.
~Dan Sai
You certainly may say this is one of the best original comics you've read in awhile It'd be nice if everyone said it. All together now....

Hey there. I just finished reading Lovebunny and I'm smitten. We met in Chicago and my friends and I came upstairs to your party before we went to Neo Saturday night. Just wanted to say thanks for an adorable story. It is absolutely 'My thing'.
Keep up the blue hair,
Carey
Here's a good example of why it's good to work in comics. You get to meet pretty, cool, girls. Also, you get to drink like a camel at the Devil's Due Party for free. Anyway, thanks for the letters everybody. I dug them all. -TIM SEELEY

The Horror Vacui Page

If you dug Josh's stuff, be sure to seek out the first MISPLACED series. Josh also writes G.I. JOE and KORE for Image, and he writes and draws the new MISPLACED series. Busy bitch.

Here's my old roommate, CADIE WRIGHT, as Lovebunny on Halloween. Yep, this girl is my old roommate. Of course, now I live with three guys who don't look nearly this good in a poodle skirt and bunny ears. It is a sad, unjust world. Cadie made this lil' suit from scratch and donated it to me. Now, it's hanging in my closet, just waiting to make the next girl I date wonder.

Like Mike? Who doesn't? Mike Norton is the artist of THE WAITING PLACE, JASON & THE ARGOBOTS, and the new Devil's Due/Image VOLTRON series.

And, of course, where would we be without Brendan Hay? In a Colombian prison, that's where. Brendan is a Writer's Assistant on Comedy Central's DAILY SHOW. Look for his contributions...daily.

Here's a cool Chibi style drawing from JILLIAN MURRAY. Excuse me, while I scratch my chibis.

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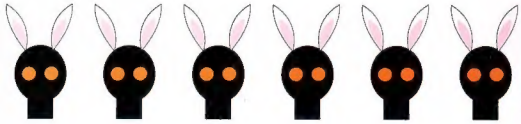

"Tim Seeley's LOVEBUNNY & MR. HELL transcends mere superhero parody and cuts right to the meat of ironic buddy-movie team ups. Tim does not fear to show his supermodel heroine from unflattering angles, he doesn't bore us with lengthy heroic exposition, nor does he (ahem, always) plumb the depths of off-color humor. LOVEBUNNY & MR.HELL is what fans have been waiting for!"

-Zander Cannon (The Replacement God, Top Ten)

"With LOVEBUNNY AND MR. HELL, Tim Seeley has captured the superhero satire of THE TICK and infused it with wonderfully human qualities. I totally recommend this book."

-Sean McKeever (The Waiting Place)

"I laughed my ass off"

-Dan Jolley (Sabretooth, Obergeist)

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